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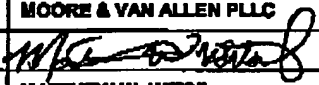
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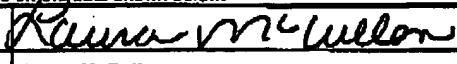
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In a Restriction Requirement under 35 U.S.C. 121 dated August 8, 2005, the Examiner indicated that the present application includes claims to the following inventions:

- I. Claims 1-9, drawn to a privacy keypad, classified in class 200, subclass 5A.
- II. Claims 10-17, drawn to a lighted door lock, classified in class 362, subclass 100.
- III. Claims 18, 22-34, drawn to an escutcheon, classified in class 70, subclass 452.
- IV. Claims 19-21, drawn to a lockset with a keypad, classified in class 70, subclass 278.1.

Restriction Requirement - Provisional Election with Traverse

Claims 1 - 9, which the Examiner identified as corresponding to Invention I, drawn to a method of performing cosmetic surgery, are provisionally elected with

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